

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Michael SOKOL et al.

Art Unit: 2667

Application No.: 09/827,175

Examiner: Kwang Bin YAO

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For: SWITCH HAVING VIRTUAL SHARED MEMORY

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
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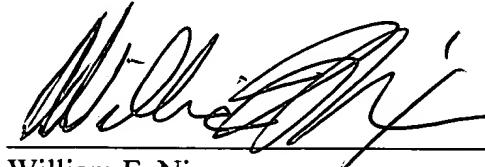
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Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated January 18, 2005, for one month from April 18, 2005, to May 18, 2005.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of Nine Hundred Ten Dollars (\$910.00) to cover the cost of the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and the extension fee. In the event that this check is found to be insufficient, or if any additional fees are due with respect to the filing of this paper, please charge Counsel's Deposit Account Number 50-2222.

Respectfully submitted,

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